GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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OPENING OF CGHS HOSPITALS DISPENSARIES IN KERALA
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received requests from the Government of Kerala and non-Governmental organisation to start CGHS Hospital/Dispensary of alternative systems of Indian medicine in Kerala;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SH SHANMUGAM)
(a)&(b):No request in this regard has been received from Government of Kerala.However, some requests have been received from different Associations to recognise private hospitals under CGHS and to open dispensaries of alternative system of Indian medicine in Kerala.

(c): Due to financial constraints, it is not possible to open any new dispensary at present.